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<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>	
	09/518,492	KUDUKOLI ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b>	<b>Art Unit</b>	
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**All Participants:**

- (1) Kieu D. Vu.  
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**Status of Application:** \_\_\_\_\_

- (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Date of Interview:** 14 September 2005

**Time:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

**Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:** ☐ Yes ☒ No  
 If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

**Rejection(s) discussed:**  
*The current rejection of record*

**Claims discussed:**  
*285, 292, 293, and 370*

**Prior art documents discussed:**  
*Sojoodi et al ("Sojoodi", USP 6437805), Yoshida et al (USP 5767853), McDonald et al ("McDonald", USP 5966532),*

**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*Examiner opines that incorporating limitations of claims 292 and 293 into claim 285 may put claim 285 in condition for allowance..  
 The Applicant Representative does not agree with Examiner's opinion.*

**Part III.**

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

*Kieu D. Vu*

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

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